

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

ABSTRACT

Agriculture Department – Herbicides – Glyphosate Formulations – Imposition of restriction on usage – Orders – Issued

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (AGRI-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 239

Dated: 05-05-2021

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.237, Dt.29.05.2020 from Agriculture and Co-Operation (Agri.I) Department.
2. From the Commissioner of Agriculture, Lr.No.PP(2)38/2021, Dt.23-04-2021, Received on 27-04-2021.

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ORDER:

In the circumstances stated by the Commissioner of Agriculture, Hyderabad in the reference 2nd read above, Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby issue orders on the following:-

- Herbicides like Glyphosate 20.2% SL IPA Salt, Glyphosate 41% SL IPA Salt, Glyphosate 54% SL (IPA Salt), Glyphosate Ammonium Salt 5% SL, Glyphosate 71% SG (Ammonium Salt) should be used only as per CIBRC Recommendation i.e. in non cropped areas and should not be used in any of the crops with immediate effect until further orders.
- All the DAO's to ensure to create awareness on restriction of Glyphosate and its ill effects for crop, Human beings and environment in Rythuvedhika from pre crop season.
- All the retailers in Telangana should not to sell any of the above herbicides without any specific recommendation slip from concerned ADA/MAO for non- crop area.
- Any violation noticed in carrying the business of sale of restricted Glyphosate by dealers / manufactures, action may be initiated by concerned Insecticide Inspector as per Insecticide Act 1968 and rules made there under.
- Further all the ADAs / MAOs are informed to monitor strictly on the sale and usage of Glyphosate and any violation of the above orders, stringent action will be initiated against the concerned ADA/ MAO of the jurisdiction.

2. The Commissioner of Agriculture, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

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The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad.
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The OSD to Minister (Agri).
The P.S. to APC & Prl. Secy. to Govt.
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